MEETING MINUTES

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Meeting Name: IPRS Core Team Meeting

Facilitator: Eric Johnson, DMH

Scribe: Sara Parks/ **Date:** 1/4/06

Time: 10 - 11 a.m.

Location: Hargrove, Conference Room D

IPRS Core Team Attendees:

x Sharlene Bryant **Others:**

XCathy BennettXTim SullivanXCheryl McQueenXJamie HerubinXShannon JohnsonXSandy FloresGary ImesXSara ParksLevel SimesXMiles Freet

Joyce SimsXMike FrostxJackie KidderXPaul CarrxRick Debell

x Thelma Hayterx Eric Johnson

New River

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Attendees:

Alamance-Caswell x Onslow x Albemarle x OPC

Catawba x Pathways
Centerpoint x Pitt

x Crossroadsx Cumberlandx Roanoke-Chowanx Rockingham

Durham X Rockingnam X Sand hills Center

xEastpointexSE CenterxEdgecombe-NashxSE Regional

x Five – County MHA x Smoky Mountain

x Foothills x Tideland x Guilford x Wake

X Johnston x Western Highlands

x Mecklenburgx Wilson-Greenex Neuse

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Attendees:				
Item No.	Topics	Review checkwrite from December 16, 30 (cut-off date)		
1.	Division and EDS Review	Upcoming checkwrites (cut-off dates) – January 6 (2nd checkwrite), 13th		
		Tim Sullivan: Update Medicaid issues		
		BugCentral Status		
		Key CSRs		
		Operations Support: File Maintenance, Security, and Help Desk		
		Area Programs joining this week:		
2.	Area Programs	Roll call Please mute phones or refrain from excess activity to help with communications. Please state your name and which Area Program you are from when you ask a question or state a problem so that we can be sure we know who to follow up with on the issue.		
		Review Checkwrite from December 16, 30 (cut-off date)		
		Upcoming checkwrite (cut-off-dates) - January 6 (2 nd 2006 checkwrite), 13th		
		IPGR7001 – Attending Provider Reimbursement by Agency has new field date of service; implemented December 15, 2005.		
		New (2006) CPT Codes		
		IPRS Security and External Provider Access		
		Reminder: Medicaid – Retroactive Report IPKR8102 from December 24, 2005		
		Reminder: After receiving new provider numbers from DMA, please send these numbers to the IPRS QA distribution list: <u>IPRS.QandA@ncmail.net</u>		
		IPRS Questions or Concerns		
		DMA Direct Provider Enrollment Questions – A. Floyd/ P. Horrell		
		MMIS Updates - Tim Sullivan & Shannon Johnson Medicaid Questions or Concerns		
		Updates to Roll Call? Any other area program questions/comments? DMH and/or EDS concluding remarks.		

Next Meeting: January 11, 2006

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ADMINISTRATION NOTES (10 a.m. DIVISION AND EDS REVIEW)

Item No. Topics

- 1. **Review checkwrite from December 16, 30 (cut-off date)** A lot of EOB 11's, 120,000 claims and 40,000 denials. Durham had ¼ of the denials and they are working through them. Alamance-Caswell may be out of budget with DD dollars.
- 2. Upcoming Checkwrites January 6th (2nd checkwrite 2006), 13th
- 3. **Tim Sullivan & Shannon Johnson Update on Medicaid Issues** Enhanced benefits approved, but we're not sure on implementation date.
- 4. **Bug Central Status:** 3 bugs; 2 in customer review and 1 in process working
- 5. **Key CSRs:** Eric and Cheryl reviewed fast track for CPT codes. We have 1 note to add. We will not be meeting today, but next week.
- 6. **Operations Support File Maintenance, Security** The FM request regarding CPT codes is complete. Jamie will be sending out an alert.

ADMINISTRATION NOTES (10:30 a.m. AREA PROGRAMS CONFERENCE CALL)					
Item No.	Topics				
1.	Roll Call (See page 1 for meeting AP participants) (Please mute phones or refrain from excess activity to help with communications.)				
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3.	Review Checkwrite – December 16, 30 (cut-off date)				
4.	Upcoming checkwrite - January 6th (2 nd checkwrite 2006), 13th				
5.	Agenda items IPGR7001 – Attending Provider Reimbursement by Agency has new field date of service; implemented December 15, 2005. New (2006) CPT Codes – Descriptions are fine. Date of service is 1/1/06. Date of service prior to 1/1/06 use the old codes. IPRS Security and External Provider Access – External Providers should not have access. Contact Judy Boone if your IPRS Coordinator changes at your site. Q: Gina (Catawba) – Does that also mean if IPRS Coordinator backup changes we need to contact Judy Boone? A: Yes				
	Reminder: Medicaid – Retroactive Report IPKR8102 from December 24, 2005 – This report is found on R2W and should list claims that need your attention. Reminder: After receiving new provider numbers from DMA, please send these numbers to the IPRS QA distribution list: IPRS.QandA@ncmail.net . There are a couple of reports to help you identify client eligibility: IPKR3751 – will show lists of clients getting ready to expire in the next two months. IPCR1851 – will lists suspends due to eligibility. Work these before next two checkwrites and they will pay.				

IPRS Questions or Concerns:

- Q: Gina (Catawba) I have a provider who is questioning 2006 CPT manual codes.
- A: Send to Q & A and we will send it to Carol Robertson.
- Q: Kathy (Smoky Mountain) Will we receive a new list of codes?
- A: Yes. They are also listed in the January bulletin.
- Q: Kay (Eastpointe) I am receiving paper checks for direct enrolled providers instead of direct deposit. I have returned these to DMA. Is this the right process and why are we receiving paper checks instead of direct deposit?
- A: No, return the checks to EDS. You need to fill out the EFT form for each group number.
- Q: Lou (Tideland) Do I need to fill out an eft form for each employee number?
- A: No.
- Q: Kim (Neuse) Can CAP case management code be rendered to any DD consumer?
- A: Shannon read definition from July 2005 special bulletin.
- Q: Gina (Catawba) Audits/edits being added is that on hold?
- A: We will try to get in with the new service definitions.
- Q: Tom (Western Highlands) Can you go over timely filing limit?
- A: You have until last checkwrite in October to submit for claims in previous fiscal year, but will pay out of current fiscal year budget.
- Q: Martha (New River) I have two denials for people under 20 (S9485). Effective 10/1/05 people 20 and under receive service need modifier HA. Why wasn't this announced in the October or January bulletin?
- A: Will check with DMA on this.

DMA Direct Provider Enrollment Questions - Angela Floyd and Pamela Horrell (absent)

MMIS Updates Tim Sullivan & Shannon Johnson - Enhanced benefits approved, but we're not sure on implementation date. Seminar dates for next week are as follows:

January 9th – Asheville

January 11th – Statesville

January 17th - Greenville

January 19th - Raleigh

Medicaid Questions or Concerns

- Q: Jody (Johnston) I did not see the bulletin on the website. Can you check on this?
- A: Shannon will check with DMA on this. The bulletin should have been published on 1/3.
- Q: Kay (Eastpointe) Is the seminar for Billing or Clinical Staff?
- A: It's beneficial to both. Carol will be discussing service definitions and Shannon will be discussing billing.
- Q: Gina (Catawba) Will they go over the application process?
- A: Shannon can check on this.
- Q: Where is the seminar info?
- A: Under DMA provider links, new to web
- Q: Tom (Western Highlands) Will endorsements be discussed during the seminar? It was mentioned in the September 2005 bulletin.
- A: Shannon will be going over this.

Updates to Roll Call; Other Questions?

DMH and/or EDS Concluding Remarks:

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Action Items

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